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Bulgaria. There were always Bulgarian students [redacted]
[redacted] their numbers have increased.

Antibiotics

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[redacted] Sulfur drugs were produced in adequate quantities [redacted] The sulfas were the principal treatment for cocci infections. Penicillin was available only at a very high price or to those who could obtain it from the West. [redacted] several attempts to introduce penicillin cultures but serious efforts to secure these cultures were delayed because of rumors of success in chemical synthesis. These rumors were never justified or verified [redacted] In 1947 or 1948 the Servita factory in Budapest started to import penicillin from the West in small quantities. Streptomycin was so scarce as to be practically unavailable. Servita made a small beginning in 1947 in pharmaceutical manufacture by producing adrenalin, thrombin, azulenol, and a few other products. Other manufacturers in Budapest were Chinoin, Richter, and Magyar Pharma. [redacted] Richter, Chinoin, and Wander were largest. [redacted] Magyar Pharma made insulin principally.

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Research on Cholinesterase and Ergot

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Very little attention was given to research on cholinesterase. [redacted] two papers connected with it were given at the meetings of the Physiological Society in Pecs in the summer of 1948. One of the two scientists presenting these papers was from the University of Debrecen. The other man was associated with Dr. Istvan Hussak of the University of Szeged. The latter's paper gave an account of estimating the enzyme in the spinal fluid. [redacted]

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